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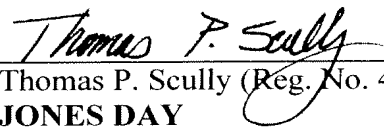
Patentees hereby respectfully request the issuance of a Certificate of Correction under 37 C.F.R. § 1.322 for the above-identified patent. The error, as listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1050, is as follows:

In claim 7, at column 11, line 31, "The implant of claim 4" should read -- The implant of claim 6 --.

It is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued in due course. The error is of a typographical nature and is a mistake made by the United States Patent and Trademark Office (the "Office"). Because the error was made by the Office, it is believed that no fee is due in connection with this request. Should any fee be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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